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Request for Continued Examination Transmittal <small>Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</small>	Application Number	10/627,516	DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO.
	Filing Date	July 25, 2003	
	First Named Inventor	Rafiq Hussain	
	Art Unit	2833	Fee Code
	Examiner Name	Phuongchi T. Nguyen	Value Furnished
	Attorney Docket Number	03-04	

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II. Other _____

Enclosed

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Fees

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ii. Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

- RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I					OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
(Column 1)			(Column 2)		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE	
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$		\$	
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	minus 20 =	*		X \$ =			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	minus 3 =	*		X \$ =			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ =			
			TOTAL		TOTAL		
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II					OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
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AMENDMENT A <i>10/25/04</i>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(d))	23	Minus	" 25	"		
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	Minus	*** 3	"		
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					X \$ =	
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	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	Minus	*** 3	"		
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					X \$ =	
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	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus	*** "	"		
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ \$ =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE							TOTAL ADD'L FEE

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